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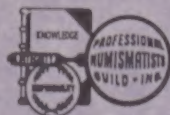
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OCTOBER 26 AND 27

CLUB NEWS AROUND THE STATE:

- CEDAR RAPIDS--The Jan. meeting was well attended, with plans well on the way for our spring coin show. Refreshments were served by Marlene Kelso. The Feb. meeting will be held the 13th.
- FOREST CITY--At a recent Forest City coin club meeting, Ted Fox was elected Pres, Eugene Morris Vice-Pres, and JoAnn Peters was re-elected Secretary-Treas. Plans were completed for the 14th annual coin show, which will be held Mar. 16th & 17th
- TRI-CITIES---Its reported the winter weather has not cut into the attendance at meetings, as over 50 members and guests engaged in some spirited bidding for the 56 lot auction.
- KEOKUK-----The Dec. meeting was the Xmas party with everyone bringing a covered dish. After the auction everyone enjoyed playing a round of bingo. The Jan. meeting was election of officers, with a auction, the meeting was highlighted by A.N.A. slides on "Love Tokens".
- MARION-----Jan. was the election of officers. The new officers are as follows: Pres-Mr. Zirtzman (re-elected), Vice-Pres.-Steve Martin (re-elected), Secretary-Rosemary Erdman, Treasurer-Mr. Konzen. Directors-Jack Field, Jeff Russell, and Jim Reed. Joy Erdman will stay on as past Pres. member of the board of directors. There were 32 members and guests present. At the Feb. meeting, everyone enjoyed playing bingo and refreshments were served by Joy Erdman.
- WAPSIE-----At thier last meeting Jan. 19th there were 26 members and guests present. There was a 50 lot auction, coffee and donuts were enjoyed by all present.
- CLARION-----The Dec. meeting was celebrated by having a birthday auction. To help celebrate the 15 years as a coin club, they formed the club in 1958, and the 10th annual show which was held in Oct, they had a auction featuring one item for each year that they may or may not have a club member. It was just a guess, but they think that 1964 should cover thier youngest member, Mr. John C. Johnson. Running each thru 1883, which should cover our senior members, including E.G. Fardahl of Ames. Birthday cake and Don's famous Xmas coffee was served. The Feb. meeting will be Thurs. Feb 21st. This auction has mostly dimes, so all you dime collectors come on out..

CLUB MEETING NIGHTS AROUND THE STATE:

- TRI-COUNTY-4th Tues. at Perry in the First National Bank Community Room
- WEBSTER CITY-1st Wed. at the Munciple Bldg. at 7:30
- DONNELSEN-2nd Fri in the Farm Bureau Basement
- MASON CITY-1st & 3rd Mon. at the Pioneer Federal Savings & Loan
- GRINNELL-2nd Mon. at the American Legion Hall
- MT. PLEASANT-1st Thurs. in the large conference room at the M.H.I.
- TRI-CITIES, MOLINE, ILL-3rd Thurs. Viking Club, 1514 4th Ave.
- CEDAR RAPIDS-2nd Wed. at the First Trust & Savings at 18th St.
- MARION-1st Tues. at the Farmers State Bank
- KEOKUK-4th Thurs. at the Washington Central School Gym
- BURLINGTON-last Thurs. at the Farmers and Merchant Bank
- FORT MADISON-3rd Wed. at the Lee County Bank Bldg.
- INDEPENDENCE-3rd Sat. at the courthouse basement.
- PORT CITY, MUSCATINE-4th Tues. at the YMCA
- OTTUMWA-4th Tues. at the Labor Hall on No. Green St.
- OSKALOOSA-1st Mon. at the Oskaloosa Home Loan & Savings
- FOREST CITY-2nd Tues. at the IOOF Hall
- WATERLOO-2nd Thurs. at the Waterloo Recreation Center
- CEDAR FALLS-last Wed. at the Cedar Falls Municipal Utilities Bldg.
- NEWTON-every 3rd Tues in the basement of shopping center.
- CARROL CO.-1st Mon. of each month.

COMING COIN SHOWS AROUND THE STATE:

- FEB. 23 & 24---The 11th Mid-Iowa-Coin-A-Rama will be held at Perry, at the National Guard Armory, General Chairman, Lloyd Langfitt; Box 324 Grand Junction, Ia 50107. Bourse Chairman Ed Baer; Box 266 Perry, Ia 50220. Exhibit Chairman, L.L. Owen; 717 Main St. Adel, Ia 50003. The Mid-Iowa-Coin-A-Rama is sponsored by the combined efforts of the Boone, Ames, Grand Junction and Perry coin clubs.
- MAR. 9 & 10---Cedar Rapids coin club will hold thier show at the IBEW Hall. Bourse Chairman, James Hamling; 4312 Twin Pine Dr. N.E. Cedar Rapids, Ia. 52402
- MAR. 16 & 17---Forest City Coin Show. Martin Nielson of Forest City is General Chairman, Eugene Morris, Forest City is Exhibit Chairman and Harry Peters, Kanawha is Bourse Chairman.
- MAR. 31-----12th annual coin show Waterloo Recreation Center, 225 Cedar St, Waterloo, Ia. General Chairman is Glenn E. Smith 2324 Falls Ave, Waterloo, Ia 50700.
- APRIL 21-----Marion Collectors club will hold a Collectors Fair at the Longbranch Supper Club. Bourse Chairman, Jack Field 3340 Bowling St. S.W. Cedar Rapids, Ia 52404.
- APRIL 28-----Wapsie coin club will hold its 11th annual show from 8:30 to 5:30 in the American Legion Hall. Write Clarence Slaughtner, PO Box 185 Independence, Ia.
- APRIL 28-----The Port City coin clyb will hold its annual coin show on Sunday at the YWCA, 309 Sycamore St. Muscatine, Ia. from 9:-- to 5:00. Bourse Chairman Fred A. Paetz 1513 Devitt, Muscatine, Ia 52761.

ANSWER TO LAST COIN QUIZ:: The 1787 Fugio Cent.....

NEW COIN QUIZ::What was the first coin struck at the new mint in 1792??

....ATTENTION I.N.A. DIRECTORS....

There will be a board of directors meeting Sat. afternoon at 1:30, at Perry, Ia. So let's make it a 100% meeting.....

CLARION NEWS RELEASE.....

Since we never meet on the same night for over six months at a time, here's a list of the coming meeting nights::

CLARION COIN CLUB AUCTION.....THURSDAY FEB.21st.

CLARION COIN CLUB AUCTION.....FRIDAY MAR. 15th.

CLARION COIN CLUB AUCTION.....FRIDAY APRIL 19th.

HOW MUCH IS ONE BILLION DOLLARS?
(1,000,000,000)

One billion dollar bills placed end to end would extend the distance of 96,670 miles, or about four times around the world. If you traveled around the world picking them up at the rate of one per second, forty hours a week, you would have to work 134 years to become a billionaire.

It would take almost two thousand years..a period extending from the bith of Christ to spend one billion dollars at the rate of one dollar per minute.

With one billion dollars you could buy 500,000 new automobiles each costing \$2,000. Placed bumper to bumper these cars would extend 1,562 miles, about the distance from Cleveland, Ohio to Salt Lake City Utah.

REMEMBER TO SEND ME YOUR CLUB NEWS IF YOU WANT THEM PUBLISHED!!!!!!!!!!



ARNOLD JEFFCOAT has been appointed as editor of Numismatic News Weekly. Senior editor Cliff Mishler has announced that the long time student of coin collecting and numismatic history joined the Numismatic News staff on December 27, 1973. Mr. Jeffcoat has just completed six years of service on the editorial staff of Gun Week, a tabloid newspaper devoted to shooting sports, first as a news editor and most recently as executive editor. Prior to Mr. Jeffcoats Gun Week positions, he served on the editorial staff of Coin World from 1964 to 1967 and worked as a general assignment reporter on the New Bedford, (Mass) Standard-Times in the early 1960's.

Mr. Arnold Jeffcoat

interest to coin collectors on the most objective, timely basis possible,This addition to our staff also is part of a continuing program to improve service to our readers."

Cliff Mishler is quoted as saying, "Jeffcoat's addition to the News' staff, because of his professional and hobby background, will further enhance the the News' ability to gather and publish the news of

Mr. Jeffcoat aquired a degree in both journalism and Radio-TV writing at Baylor University, Waco, Texas in 1962. Originally from Texas, Arnold is married to the former Joan Sylvia of New Bedford, Mass. The couple are now moving to Iola, Wis. and have two children, Pam 15 and Alan 13.

Mr. Jeffcoat first became interested in coin collecting in the mid 1950's during a four-year stint in the U.S. Coast Guard (1954-1958). Finding foreign coins his first challenge, Mr. Jeffcoat tried his luck as a part-time dealer and then expanded his interest to U.S. Coins while attending College at Baylor.

While taking an active part in coin club and associations in the New Bedford area Mr. Jeffcoat aquired an interest in World Commemorative Coins which resulted in extensive specialized study. While serving on the Coin World staff he handled the newspapers world proof and commemorative trends sections.

Let's all welcome Mr. Arnold Jeffcoat to the Numismatic News Staff.

WHAT'S ON THE DOLLAR?

DENOMINATION	OVERVERSE	REVERSE
\$1	Washington	Great Seal of the U.S.
\$2	Jefferson	Monticello
\$5	Lincoln	Lincoln Memorial
\$10	Hamilton	U.S. Treasury Building
\$20	Jackson	The White House
\$50	Grant	U.S. Capitol
\$100	Franklin	Independence Hall
\$500	McKinley	No. 500 in a bold design
\$1,000	Cleveland	No. 1,000 in a bold design
\$5,000	Madison	No. 5,000 in a bold design
\$10,000	Chase	No. 10,000 in a bold design
\$100,000	Wilson	No. 100,000 in a bold design

SEE YOU IN PERRY!!!!YOU ALL COME.....YE HEAR
..Editor..

INTERESTING FACTS ABOUT MONEY

DID YOU KNOW???

That the Spanish Dollar in colonial times could be divided into 8 pieces or "bits"...our expression "two bits" came from this.

That it cost the early Virginia colonists 150 lbs. of tobacco for an imported wife.

That in some part of Africa giraffe tails are used for money and whale teeth are used for money in the Fiji Islands.

That all U.S. coins are made at federal mints located in Philadelphia, Denver and San Francisco.

That there is more than 1,775,000,000 worth of coins in circulation throughout the United States. This is an average of more than \$10 in coins per person in the United States.

That about 90% of all payments are made with checks, drafts, or money orders.

That the design of any coin cannot be changed more often than once every 25 years without the approval of Congress.

That over a million dollars of new currency is issued every day in the United States.

That all paper money is engraved and printed at the Bureau of Engraving and Printing in Washington, D.C.

That there is about \$28,500,000,000 worth of paper money in circulation in the United States. This is an average of more than \$170 in paper money per person in the United States.

That the earliest coin known was made in Asia Minor about 700 B.C. by either the Lydians or Ionians. It was known as the stater.

That most countries, except the United States have changed the value of their currencies one or more times since the end of World War II.

UNUSUAL TERMS APPLIED TO MONEY

PIN MONEY--a term applied to that portion of a wife's allowance to be used for fancies and incidentals.

HOT MONEY--a term descriptive of stolen money that must be gotten rid of quickly.

ALMIGHTY DOLLAR--a term used in connection with the American idea of money as that which accomplishes fulfillment of desire.

CONSCIENCE MONEY--cash paid to relieve the conscience in connection with wrongdoing in a financial matter.

BLOOD MONEY---a term applied to payment for bloodshed; either by the slayer to compensate for his act, or as a reward to a slayer for bringing about the death of another. The term is now applied to the reward or bribe paid for giving up a criminal to justice.

SUPERSTITIONS ABOUT MONEY

A purse given as a gift should have a coin in it.

A bride should wear a coin in her shoe when being married.



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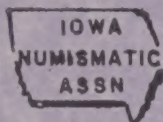
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